

# Media Information



Columbus Division of Police  
Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: 12/28/2020

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 12/22/2020

Time: 11:52PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 1521 Republic Ave.

Zone: 4

Precinct: 2

Incident Report #: 200953160

Cruiser District: 22

Victim: Name Withheld (Deceased)

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: Adult

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Suspect:

Address:

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## Incident Summary:

\*\*\*UPDATE: The Franklin County Coroner's Office has determined this death to be a homicide. The victim's name is still being withheld pending positive identification and notification of next of kin.\*\*\*

On Tuesday, December 22, 2020, at 11:52PM Columbus Police Officers were called to the area of 1521 Republic Ave. on a report of a shooting. On arrival, officers found an adult male inside of 1521 Republic Ave. CFD Medic 16 responded to the scene and pronounced the victim deceased at 12:01AM. At this time the cause of the victim's death is unclear. The victim's name is being withheld pending positive identification and notification of next of kin.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). This is the 168th homicide and the 169th homicide investigation in Columbus Ohio in Calendar Year 2020. Incident # 200953160. Detective Johnson is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective Shepherd.

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